Examination Application Information

Fundamental of Engineering (FE) and Fundamentals of Surveying (FS) Exams

Beginning in January 2014, the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) and Fundamentals of Surveying (FS) exams will be offered year-round as computer-based exams at approved Pearson VUE testing centers located in major cities throughout the country. For additional information visit http://cbt.ncees.org

Senior Students at Clemson University, The Citadel, the University of South Carolina, and Bob Jones University will receive instructions through their department for submitting online applications. Other applicants should submit an application directly to the Board office. Applications are available online at

http://www.llr.state.sc.us/POL/Engineers/index.asp?file=Applications/Exams.htm and should be submitted to the Board office. There is NO application deadline for FE and FS exam candidates. Once approved by the Board, candidates will receive instructions and the NCEES website for registering and paying for the exam. Candidates will select an exam date and location when registering with NCEES. Original transcripts should also be sent to the Board office after graduating from the program. Contact the college/university Registrar's office and request the transcripts be sent to the Board office at the address for U.S. mail below.

The FE and FS Exams will be offered during the following testing windows:

January and February
April and May
July and August
October and November

The FE and FS exams will not be offered in March, June, September, and December

Professional Practice of Engineering (PE) and Professional Practice of Surveying (PS) and State Specific Exams

The Professional Practice of Engineering (PE), and Professional Practice of Surveying (PS) and State Specific exams are administered in April and October at The Jamil Temple in Columbia, SC. Applications for the PE and PS are available online at http://www.llr.state.sc.us/POL/Engineers/index.asp?file=Applications/Exams.htm (scroll down to the appropriate exam application and download **ALL** forms under that heading) and should be submitted to the Board office by the filing deadline.

PE and PS Exam Application Deadlines
December 15 for the April exam
June 15 for the October exam

Please see http://www.ncees.org/Exams/exam-schedule for the **PE and PS exam** schedule posted by NCEES.

Repeat Candidates

Repeat candidates for any of these examinations should e-mail the Board at engls@llr.sc.gov for approval to retake an examination. Please include a full name, date of birth, the last four digits of the social security number, and current mailing address to ensure proper enrollment. Applicants that have taken the examination more than twice must complete a Certificate of Study form in order to retake it. The Certificate of Study form is available online at http://llronline.com/POL/Engineers/PDF Files/Certificate%20of%20Study.pdf.

If submitting application by U.S. mail, address it to: SC Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors PO Box 11597 Columbia, SC 29211-1597

If submitting application by express mail, FedEx or UPS, address it to: SC Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors 110 Centerview Drive Columbia, SC 29210